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Examiner: M. K. Sgagias

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INTERVIEW SUMMARY

Dear Sir:

In response to the Interview Summary mailed May 6, 2011, Applicants submit that the Substance of the Interview as described in the Interview Summary prepared by the Examiner is accurate. As described in the Interview Summary, the rejection of record and proposed claim amendments were discussed. The Examiner correctly states that an agreement was not reached. Applicants respectfully submit the following corrections and clarifications to the list of participants in the interview: 1) Magdalene Sgagias, 2) Thaian Ton, 3) Jessamine Lee, 4) David Halstead, and 5) C. Hunter Baker.

Applicants believe no fee is required with this paper. However, the Director is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency in the fees filed, asserted to be filed or which should have been filed herewith (or with any paper hereafter filed in this application by this firm) to our Deposit

Account No. 18-1945, under Order No. JHUC-P01-021 from which the undersigned is authorized to draw.

Dated: May 6, 2011 Respectfully submitted,

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